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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:)
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Monica Patel et al.)
) Group Art Unit:
Serial No.:)
) Examiner:
Filed:)
) Attorney Docket: 91436-139
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For: TELEPHONE NETWORK)
MANAGEMENT METHOD AND)
DEVICES)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Specification

✓ On page 4, line 34, replace "Figs. 6A-6G" with --Figs. 6A to 6F--.

✓ On page 5, line 1, replace "DMS" with --switch--.

In the Claims

✓ Renumber the second occurrence of claim 16, beginning on page 27, to claim 17.

Remarks

The above amendments are provided to correct minor clerical errors.

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